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For: DATA BUS CONFIGURATION HAVING A

DATA BUS WHICH CAN BE OPERATED IN MULTIPLEX MODE, AND METHOD FOR OPERATING THE CONFIGURATION

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## **AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1,116**

MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated May 30, 2008, finally rejecting claims 1-5, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.